

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Just before the header "BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION", please insert the following new section:

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

The present patent document is a Continuation of United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/785, 665, filed on February 23, 2004, in the names of Timothy A. Ringeisen et al., and entitled "Gel suitable for implantation and delivery system". The contents of this related patent application is hereby fully incorporated by reference.